Levy and Local Effort Assistance Technical Working Group

DRAFT: Impact Scorecard for New Proposals for Levies &/or Levy Equalization

In May and June the workgroup discussed the levies and local effort assistance, noting several impacts and issue areas. This DRAFT Impact Scorecard frames the issues and impacts in a format for consistently measuring and evaluating proposals.

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Proposal:				

Issue/Impact Area	Significant Concern	Some Concern	Neutral/No Change	Some Benefit	Significant Benefit	Comments
Community Support: How does this proposal impact community support for local schools?						
2. Elections: How does this proposal impact local levy elections?						
3. Students: How does this proposal impact student programs?						
4. Student Equity: How does this proposal impact differences in student funding?						
5. Taxpayers: How does this proposal impact the tax payer?						
6. Taxpayer Equity: How does this proposal impact differences in tax rates?						
7. Assessed Value Differences: How does this proposal impact differences in districts' assessed values?						
8. Revenue : How does this proposal impact revenues for school districts?						
9. Reliability: How does this proposal impact the reliability of local revenue?						
10. Levy/LEA Purchasing Power: How does this proposal impact the purchasing power of local revenues?						
11. Levy Lids: How does this proposal impact districts currently collecting at the levy lid?						
12. Grandfathering: How does this proposal address grandfathered districts?						
13. LEA Districts: How does this proposal impact districts receiving LEA funds?						
14. Uniformity: How does this proposal interact with the uniformity provisions of the constitution?						
15. Paramount Duty: How does this proposal interact with the paramount duty clause of the constitution?						
16. Local District Discretion: How does this proposal impact districts ability to make decisions about programs?						
17. Governance Tension: How does this proposal address tension between local and state governance?						
18. Transparency/Clarity: How does this proposal impact the ability to understand levy and LEA policies?						